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## Astrophysicist

The NASA/Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC), NASA's Center of Excellence for scientific research, invites applications for an experienced infrared astrophysicist to perform a leading role in the development of Next Generation Space Telescope (NGST) instrumentation and to carry out an active infrared scientific research program.

The successful applicant will join the Infrared Astrophysics Branch, which is currently engaged in the formulation of new mission and instrument concepts, in the analyses of past and current mission data, and in the planning and execution of the space-flight research program. The Branch is engaged in submillimeter, cosmic microwave background, and infrared astrophysical research. The instrument development activities of the Branch have supported COBE, HST, MAP, NGST, WIRE, and SOFIA.

Established infrared astrophysicists with demonstrated instrumental capabilities and leadership qualities are encouraged to apply. The salary range is from \$68,570 to \$104,851, and is commensurate with the experience of the successful candidate.

Applicants must submit either an "Optional Application for Federal Employment" (OF-612), or SF-171, "Application for Federal Employment," or a resume. In addition, applicants should submit a professional curriculum vita, a list of refereed publications, and a cogent (approximately 1000-word) statement of career interests. Applications should be sent to:

NASA/Goddard Space Flight Center  
Human Resources Operations Office, Code 113.8  
ATTN: Ms. Dorenda Small  
Greenbelt, MD 20771

For more information about position requirements and application procedures, please call Ms. Small at (301) 286-6958 or (301) 286-7918 (TDD).

Applications must be submitted by June 1, 1999.

Equal Opportunity Employer, U.S. Citizenship Required.